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SUBJECT: NEW SENIOR MOD APPOINTMENTS

1. ON OR ABOUT 13 DECEMBER, ARTHUR P. HOCKADAY, CB, CMG, PRESENTLY DEPUTY UNDER SECRETARY OF STATE FOR POLICY AND PROGRAMS, MOD, WILL BECOME SECOND PERMANENT UNDER-SECRETARY OF STATE (ADMINISTRATION), SUCCEEDING SIR WILLIAM GERAGHTY AND JOINING SIR FRANK COOPER, PUS.

2. ON A TEMPORARY BASIS UNTIL ABOUT APRIL, REGINALD ANDERSON, PRESENTLY DUS/AIR SYSTEMS, AIRCRAFT CONTROLLER-ATE, PROCUREMENT EXECUTIVE, SUCCEEDS HOCKADAY. HE IS WELL KNOWN IN DOD AS HE SPENT THREE YEARS IN WASHINGTON AS UK DEFENSE SUPPLY COUNSELLOR AND DEALT EXTENSIVELY WITH US AS AUS FOR DEFENSE SALES, PARTICULARLY ON THE US-UK MOU ON DEFENSE COOPERATION. AFTER APRIL, HOCKADAY WILL BE SUCCEEDED BY MICHAEL E. QUINLAN, PRESENTLY "SECONDED" FROM MOD TO THE CABINET OFFICE AS AN UNDER SECRETARY.

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